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Sir:

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Attached for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: MERKULOV et al

Entitled: **ISOLATED HUMAN RAS-LIKE PROTEINS, NUCLEIC ACID
MOLECULES ENCODING THESE HUMAN RAS-LIKE
PROTEINS, AND USES THEREOF**

and including attachments as noted below:

Declaration, Abstract
76 pages of specification; Sequence Listing and claims (including 23 numbered claims), and
25 sheets of accompanying drawing/s.

Record & return the attached assignment to the undersigned.

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C 119 based on the following foreign applications, the entire content of
which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application:

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
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, respectively.

Certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) is/are attached.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line --This is a _____ of PCT application _____, filed _____, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C 120/365 based on the following prior PCT applications designating the U.S.,
the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application:

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
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This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s):

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respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is
hereby claimed therefrom.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S.
Provisional Application No. _____, filed _____, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in
this application.--

Verified Statement attached establishing "small entity" status (Rules 9 & 27)
The Examiner's attention is directed to the prior art cited in the parent application by applicant and/or Examiner for
the reasons stated therein.

Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee below.

Also attached: **Sub of Computer Readable Sequence Listing Diskette**

FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY HEREWITH CANCELED

Basic Filing Fee	\$ 710.00
Total effective claims 23 - 20 (at least 20) = 3 x \$ 18.00	\$ 54.00
Independent claims 6 - 3 (at least 3) = 3 x \$ 80.00	\$ 240.00
Independent claims 6 - 3 (at least 3) = 3 x \$ 80.00	\$ 0.00
If any proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$260.00 (ignore improper)	\$ 0.00
	SUBTOTAL \$ 1004.00
	-\$(0.00)
If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract	SECOND SUBTOTAL \$ 1004.00
	\$ 0.00
Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00)	TOTAL FEE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT \$ 1,004.00

Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension.
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been
filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 50-0970. A duplicate copy of this
sheet is attached.

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